

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **SB 107 - HB 289**

March 6, 2003

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Removes the requirement that all petitions for divorce and legal separation contain social security numbers of the parties and any children born of the marriage.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Other Fiscal Impact - Jeopardizes federal funding of \$39,000,000 received under the block grant for the Child Support Program and \$230,000,000 received under the block grant for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program (Families First).**

Implementation of the bill would place Tennessee in violation of federal requirements of both the Child Support and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Programs. The state is required by federal law to gather and utilize social security numbers in the operation of these programs.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Davenport".

James A. Davenport, Executive Director